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*John H. Everitt to Holden*

A&amp;H:GP

South Gaston N.C

Aug 24 1868

His Excellency Gov. W. W. Holden  
Gov of North Carolina

Sir Yours of 21st ult was receive the 22nd, And as soon as I can get the names of that organization I will forward it with any other information I can get.

There is to be a large meeting of the republican party here next Saturay the 29 Inst. And I have herd from Several Sources that there will be a demonstratin on the part of Said organization on that day to prevent the Republican party from Speaking on the Stand. They have even threatened to Shoot any Republican that should take the Stand. will it be necessary or not for me to call out 10 or 15 men to keep peace & order, on that day. Please let me know without delay.

and sir very Respectfully

Your Obbt Servt  
John H Everitt J. P.

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*Holden to C. B. Mallet*

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Executive Department of North  
Carolina  
Raleigh Aug. 25th 1868

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Presdt Western Rail Road Co.  
Fayetteville No Ca

Sir

I would suggest in accordance with the 3d Section of an "Act to amend the charter of the Western Railroad Company" that a meeting of the Stockholders of the Road be held in Fayetteville on Saturday the 12th day of next month. This will be within the thirty days prescribed by law, and will I think afford ample time.

Very Respectfully  
W. W. Holden  
Governor

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